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To: House Bill No. 5106

File No. 483

Cal. No. 285

"AN ACT CONCERNING ADDITIONAL RETIREMENT CREDIT FOR JUDICIAL MARSHALS."

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- 1 In line 1, after the effective date, insert "(a)"
 - 2 In line 2, after "who" delete "is" and insert ": (1) Is" in lieu thereof
 - 3 In line 2, after "marshal" insert ", supervising judicial marshal,
 - 4 deputy chief judicial marshal or chief judicial marshal"
 - 5 In line 4, after "1990," insert "or (2) is a state employee who served as
 - 6 a special deputy sheriff on or after July 1, 1990, and who has been in
 - 7 continuous state service since resigning such position as a special
 - 8 deputy sheriff,"
 - 9 In line 4, after "may" insert ", in accordance with the provisions of

10 this section,"

11 In line 7, strike "on or before"

12 In line 8, strike "October 1, 2008,"

13 After line 12, insert the following:

14 "(b) Upon the effective date of this section, any eligible employee, as
15 describe in subsection (a) of this section, may apply to the State
16 Employees Retirement Commission for a calculation statement that
17 sets the amount of such employee's required share of the retirement
18 contributions based upon such employee's eligible service time. The
19 State Employees Retirement Commission shall work in conjunction
20 with the Judicial Department, within available appropriations, to
21 determine such amounts, and such calculation statement shall be
22 provided to each employee applicant no later than ninety days after
23 the date that the employee files the application with the State
24 Employees Retirement Commission.

25 (c) On or before February 1, 2009, the State Employees Retirement
26 Commission, within available appropriations, shall report to the
27 committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
28 relating to appropriations, labor and public employees the following
29 information available at that time: (1) The number of eligible
30 employees who have applied to purchase the retirement credit, (2) the
31 calculated amount of the total employee contributions that would be
32 required to cover such employee's shares, and (3) the calculated
33 amount of the state's total contribution necessary to cover the purchase
34 of the retirement credit by such employees who have applied and are
35 eligible to purchase the retirement credit.

36 (d) The General Assembly may authorize an expenditure by the
37 State Employees Retirement Commission to cover all or part of the
38 state's contribution necessary to allow eligible employees to purchase
39 the retirement credit. No later than sixty days after the General
40 Assembly authorizes any funding to cover all or part of the state's

41 share of the retirement purchase as calculated and reported to the
42 General Assembly pursuant to subsection (c) of this section, the State
43 Employees Retirement Commission shall provide a notification
44 statement to each eligible employee, in order of seniority in time of
45 service as a judicial marshal of such employee's ability to purchase the
46 retirement credit based upon the amount of funding authorization, if
47 any, provided by the General Assembly pursuant to this subsection.
48 The ability for an employee to purchase such retirement credit shall be
49 done in order of each employee's seniority in time of service.

50 (e) No later than thirty days after the date of receipt of the
51 notification statement prepared and sent pursuant to subsection (d) of
52 this section, an employee who wishes to purchase all or part of the
53 retirement credit for which such employee is eligible shall: (1) Deposit
54 the total amount of the required contributions with the State
55 Employees Retirement Commission, or (2) pay the amount of the
56 required contributions by participating in a three-year payroll
57 deduction plan established by the State Employees Retirement
58 Commission, within available appropriations. If the employee is not
59 able to purchase or is subsequently disallowed from purchasing
60 pursuant to subsection (d) of this section all or part of the retirement
61 credit for which such employee is eligible, the state Employees
62 Retirement Commission office shall, no later than thirty days after
63 such a determination, return to the employee a pro rata share of the
64 employee's contributions, plus a three per cent accrued interest."